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## READ AND YOU WILL LEARN

That the leading medical writers and teachers of all the several schools of practice endorse and recommend, in the strongest terms possible, each and every ingredient entering into the composition of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery for the cure of weak stomach, dyspepsia, catarrh of stomach, "liver complaint," torpid liver, or biliousness, chronic bowel affections, and all catarrhal diseases of whatever region, name or nature. It is also a specific remedy for all such chronic or long standing cases of catarrhal affections and their resultants, as bronchial, throat and lung diseases (except consumption) accompanied with severe coughs. It is not so good for acute colds and coughs, but for lingering, or chronic cases it is especially efficacious in producing perfect cures. It contains Black Cherrybark, Golden Seal root, Bloodroot, Stone root, Mandrake root and Queen's root—all of which are highly praised as remedies for all the above mentioned affections by such eminent medical writers and teachers as Prof. Bartholow, of Jefferson Med. College; Prof. Hare, of the Univ. of Pa.; Prof. Finley Ellingwood, M. D., of Bennett Med. College, Chicago; Prof. John King, M. D., late of Cincinnati; Prof. John M. Scudder, M. D., late of Cincinnati; Prof. Edwin M. Hale, M. D., of Hahnemann Med. College, Chicago, and scores of others equally eminent in their several schools of practice.

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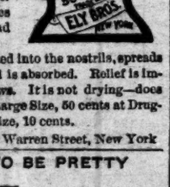


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### Steel Ties Doomed.

In a statement made public in Philadelphia yesterday afternoon General Manager Atterbury, of the Pennsylvania Railroad, ordered that all steel cross-ties be removed from the tracks of the railroad. He states that his action was the result of the report of the committee of railroad experts, which investigated the wreck of the eighteen-hour special at Mineral point, Friday night. This report and the general manager's action are a virtual admission that the steel ties as made at present are a failure as a substitute for the wooden ties, and are a menace to human life and safe railroading.

In its report, the committee of railroad men, who made the investigation, positively states that if wooden ties had been on the roadbed where the wreck occurred the damage would have been less. It is admitted that the ties were placed upon this curve because this would be a severe test of their utility, although the railroad officials insist that they never thought that the uselessness of these ties would be demonstrated by injury to fifty-four persons.

The committee finds that at the time of the accident the train was running at the rate of fifty miles an hour down a grade of 0.85. The outer rail, loosened by the snapping of the bolt fastenings, was found thrown away from the tracks out on the embankment.

Include six cans of Argo Red Salmon in your next grocery list. It will keep for twenty years.

### The Use of Tobacco.

When the use of tobacco began the argument also began that it is a bad weed and should not be used in any form. The use of tobacco has expanded continuously until its charms and allurements are known in all lands, civilized or uncivilized. Though the smoke of the Indian weed now ascends from all part, of the inhabited globe, it is yet a question openly debated whether tobacco is a bleesing to humankind or otherwise.

Dr Valentin Nalpasse, of the Paris faculty of medicine, has recently contributed to a St. Petersburg journal some reflections upon the use and abuses of tobacco that will be of interest to smokers generally. Tobacco, in his observation, has no bad effect when used moderately by people who are in condition to use it. On the contrary, it is often and under many circumstances beneficial. He warns, however, that it must not be used at all by people who have heart trouble or lung trouble, and must not be used by people who have any disease of the nervous system. His warning against the imbibing of nicotine is also emphatic. Tobacco has come to be one of the touches of nature that makes the whole world kin, notwithstanding the propaganda which has been made in some quarters against its use.

Croup can positively be stopped in 20 minutes. No vomiting—nothing to sicken or distress your child. A sweet, pleasant, and safe Syrup, called Dr. Shoop's Croup Cure, does the work and does it quickly. Dr. Shoop's Croup Cure for Croup alone, remember. It does not claim to cure a dozen ailments. It's for Croup, that's all. Sold by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, druggists.

### Legislators Fight.

Richard E. Hackett, who will represent the Eighth North Carolina district in the next Congress assaulted Dr. C. G. Bryant, who represents Wilkes county, N. C., in the legislature, at Raleigh yesterday. Dr. Bryant came back at Hackett with a long-bladed pocket-knife, which was taken from him after he had made an ineffectual effort to get in touch with Hackett through the medium of a chair and an inkstand. The encounter provoked an uproar for fully five minutes. The fight took place on the floor of the house of representatives, where a legislative committee was in session. Bryant twice charged Hackett with making misrepresentations, and at the second charge Hackett landed on the doctor. Members of the committee tried to separate the combatants and restore order, but experienced much difficulty in taming the belligerents. Dr. Bryant apologized for the offensive words after the storm blew over. Political differences were at the bottom of the difficulty, Hackett being a democrat and Bryant a republican. They came from the same county.

### Endorsed by the County.

"The most popular remedy in Otsego county, and the best friend of my family," writes Wm. W. Dietz, editor and publisher of the Otsego Journal, Gilbertsville, N. Y., "is Dr. King's New Discovery. It has proved to be an infallible cure for coughs and colds, making short work of the worst of them. We always keep a bottle in the house. I believe it to be the most valuable prescription known for Lung and Throat diseases." Guaranteed to never disappoint the taker, by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons, druggists. Price 50c and $1. Trial bottle free.

### Stoessel Charged with Cowardice.

A copy of the secret report on the defense of of Port Arthur, which is the basis of the indictment on which Lieutenant General Stoessel, Lieutenant General Fock, who commanded the Fourth East Siberian Division at Port Arthur, and Major General Reiss, chief of staff of General Stoessel, are standing trial for their lives before the supreme court-martial at St. Petersburg, has been obtained. It is of interest as explaining the decision to try these three officers and nolle prosequi the other defenders of Port Arthur. The report, which was written by Lieutenant General Smirnoff, the actual commandant of the fortress, is sensational in the extreme and categorically accuses Stoessel of cowardice and incapacity and finally of the deliberate, treasonable hastening of the surrender to save his own life and in defiance of the decision of two successive councils of war. The report is biased in the extreme, breathes the most bitter personal enmity and shows that the high officers of the Port Arthur garrison in the darkest days of the siege were almost at each other's throats.

### Panic in Winchester Theatre.

The cry of "Fire" at the Auditorium, Winchester, Monday night, near the close of the last act of "The Gibson Girl," a musical comedy, threw an audience of several hundred people into confusion, which barely escaped ending in a fatal stampede. Men, women and children made a rush for the exits and struggled and fought to get out. Policeman Seabright, with the assistance of a half dozen cool-headed men, kept the crowd back and finally succeeded in quieting their fears. The play was entirely forgotten in the excitement of the moment. The fire, which was near the theater, was caused by the burning of a stable in the rear of the handsome home of Judge Thomas W. Harrison, on the outskirts of the town. Two thousand people gathered at the scene within a few minutes. The stable was burned to the ground. The fire was the work of incendiaries.

### The Limit of Life.

The most eminent medical scientists are unanimous in the conclusion that the generally accepted limitation of human life is many years below the attainment possible with the advanced knowledge of which the race is now possessed. The critical period that determines its duration, seems to be between 50 and 60; the proper care of the body during this decade cannot be too strongly urged; carelessness then being fatal to longevity. Nature's best helper after 50 is Electric Bitters, the scientific tonic medicine that revitalizes every organ of the body. Guaranteed by E. S. Leadbeater, & Sons, druggists.

Many sufferers from nasal catarrh say they get splendid results by using an atomizer For their benefit we prepare Ely's Liquid Cream Balm. Except that it is liquid it is in all respects like the healing, helpful, pain allaying Cream Balm that the public has been familiar with for years No cocaine nor other dangerous drug in it. The soothing spray relieves at once and cure is certain. All druggists 75c, including spraying tube, or mailed by Ely Bros., 56 Warren Street, New York.

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CORPORATION FISH WHARF

will be rented for the ensuing twelve months. The rentor will be required to furnish material for and lay platform sufficient to accommodate the trade. All passways must be kept open free from obstruction The rentor to erect no building within a less distance than 70 feet from the south front. No privilege for the sale of liquors will be granted inconsistent with the laws of the city on the subject.

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Possession will be given at once.

No bids will be considered unless the bidders shall be known or vouched for to the auctioneer as responsible.

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All articles landed on the wharf for the use of the city to be free from wharfage.

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Many are the handsome and graceful designs of the season. Our line is large and carefully selected, embracing all the latest patterns and newest mechanism of gearing and wheels.

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| One lot Ladies' 25c Odd Belts, reduced to, each | 15c |
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| Ladies' 50c Flannelette Waists, now | 39c |
| All 10c and 12½ Fancy Flannelettes | 7½c |
| All 35c Fancy Eiderdowns, yard | 19c |
| Ladies' $1.50 Fancy Flannelette Wrappers, each | $1.00 |
| $3.25 and $3.49 Fine Comforts, now | $1.98 |
| $4.50 Fine Comforts, now | $2.49 |
| $6.00 Fine Comforts, now | $3.49 |
| One fine $6.98 Down Comfort, at | $4.75 |
| Ladies' 50c Flannelette Dressing Sacques, each | 35c |
| Ladies' 75c Flannelette Dressing Sacques, each | 49c |
| Ladies' 75c Outing Flannel Night Robes, each | 59c |
| One Ladies' $2.25 Tan Mercerized Underskirt, now | 98c |
| One Ladies' $1.00 Brown Mercerized Underskirt, now | 59c |
| Children's 35c White Drawer Leggings, now | 23c |
| Children's 50c White Bear Skin Caps, now | 39c |
| Ladies' $1.50 Wool Sweaters, each | 98 |
| Ladies' $2.25 Wool Sweaters, each | $1.49 |
| Ladies' $2.50 Wool Sweaters, each | $1.75 |
| Ladies' $3.25 Wool Sweaters, each | $1.98 |
| Misses' $1.98 Wool Sweaters, each | $1.25 |
| Children's 50c Wool Sweaters, each | 39 |
| Children's $1 Wool Sweaters, each | 69c |
| Children's $1.50 Wool Sweaters each | 98c |
| Small Boys' $1.50 Wool Sweaters, each | 89c |
| Ladies 50c Eiderdown Dressing Sacques, each | 98c |
| Ladies' $1.00 Eiderdown Dressing Sacques, each | 35c |
| Ladies' $1.50 Eiderdown Dressing Sacques, each | 69c |
| Ladies' $2.50 Eiderdown Dressing Sacques, each | 98c |
| Chase's $1.50 Plush Lap Robes now | $1.49 |
| Chase's $2.98 Plush Lap Robes, now | $1.15 |
| Chase's $5 Plush Lap Robes, now | $1.75 |
| Chase's $6.50 Plush Lap Robes, now | $2.98 |
| Chase's $10 Plush Lap Robes, now | $3.49 |
| Red Wool Blankets reduced from $4.50 to | $6.49 |
| Red Wool Blankets reduced from $6 to | $3.39 |
| Ladies' 75c and $1 Grey Ribbed Vest and Pants, each | $4.35 |
| Ladies' $1 Ribbed Union Suits | 49c |
| Ladies' $1.50 Ribbed Union Suits | 69c |
| Ladies' $2 Ribbed Union Suit | 98c |
| Ladies' 75c Grey and White Wool Vests and Pants, each | $1.35 |
| Ladies' $1 Grey and White Wool Vests and Pants, each | 59c |
| Ladies' $1.50 Grey and White Wool Vest and Pants, each | 69c |
| Children's 25c Union Suits, now | 98c |
| Children's 50c Grey Union Suits, now | 19c |
| One lot Ladies' 25c Fancy Outing Flannel Waists, now | 35c |
| One lot 6c, 8c an 10c all Linen Torchon Lace, yard | 10c |
| 15 doz n Ladies' Muslin Pants, each | 5c |
| 75c Colored Sateen Waists, each | 22c |
| 95 pieces new light and dark Percales, 36 inches wide, yard | 49c |
| All 50c Toques, now | 9c |
| 50c Tam O'shanta Hats, now | 35c |
| Ladies' $1 Red Golf Vests, each | 35c |
| Only one Ladies' 50c Outing Flannel Nigh Robe, damaged, now | 49c |
| Children's 25c Outing Flannel Underskirts, now | 29c |
| Children's 35c Outing Gowns, now | 19c |
| Children's 35c Outing Night Drawers, each | 25c |
| One lot Children's 12½c and 15c cotton Underpants each | 9c |
| 50 pieces new Light Calico, yard | 5c |
| Infants' 50c White Silk Hoods, each | 25c |
| Infants' 75c White Silk Hoods, each | 39c |
| Children's 50c Silk Caps, each | 35c |
| Children's 75c Silk Caps, each | 49c |
| Children's $1 Silk Caps, each | 69c |
| 1,000 yards Fine White Persian lawns in lengths from 3 to 10 yards, special price, yard | 11c |
| Small lot Dark Flannelettes reduced to, yard | 5c |

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MEETINGS.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the JULIUS LANSBURGH FURNITURE & CARPET CO. will be held at Hotel Fleischmann, Alexandria, Va., TUESDAY, February 26, 1907, at 3:30 p. m. for the election of officers and any other business which may properly come before it.

IRVIN H. HOLLANDER,
feb14 19 25 Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the N. AUTH PROVISION COMPANY will be held at the office of said company, No. 128 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on MONDAY, March 4, 1907, at 3 p. m., for the election of directors and for the transaction of such other business as may legally come before said meeting.

GEORGE W. FRIOR, Secretary.
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One lot Shirting Prints, 3½c yard.
Remnants, 40-inch fine brown Cotton, 6c yard.
Remnants yard wide, heavy brown Cotton, 5c yard
Lot of white check Nainsooks, 5c yard.
A big lot of Pearl Buttons, 1c dozen.
A lot of Window Shades, imperfect, 5c.
Table Oil Cloths, slightly imperfect, 10c yard.
A lot of soft, finished Cannon Cloths, 16c yard.
A lot of fine Dress Ginghams, 8c yard.
A lot of Matting worth 20c, for 14c yard.
A lot of Matting worth 25c, for 19c yard.
A lot of all wool Ladies' Waists, worth $1 25, for 50c.
A lot of Ladies' Dress Skirts, $1.25 to $1.50 values, for 98c.
A lot of 25c all wool, Misses' Hose, 10c pair.
A lot of Children's Tan and Black Hose, 5c pair.
A lot of Dress and Waists Silks, 75c value for 49c yard.
A lot of remnants good Apron Ginghams, 5c yard.
A lot of colored Seersucker Ginghams, 5c yard.
A lot of light and dark Outings, 5c yard.
A lot of Laces, 3c yard.
A lot of long Cloths, 8½c yard.
A lot of Pillow Cases, 11c each.
A case of yard wide Bleached Cotton, elegant value, 7½c.
A lot of the best quality Bleached Sheets, 63c each.
A lot of Bleached Toweling, 4½c yard.
A case of Bleached Cotton, 12½ value.
A lot of 10-4 Sheeting, 25c yard.
9½c yard.
Remnants of Berkley Cambries, worth 17c, for 12½c yard.
A lot of French Nainsooks, 20c value, for 15c yard.
A lot of Persian Lawn for 12½c yard.
A case of 40-inch India Linon, 15c value, for 10c yard.
A case of White Snow Flake Swisses, 5½c yard.
Lot Wool Dress Goods Remnants at half price.
Let Ladies' Dressing Sacques, 19c.
Lot Ladies' Belts, 10c.
Lot Double Gray Blankets, 49c.
All our All-wool Blankets greatly reduced.
Lot Children's Skirts, 9c.
One case Light Shirting Prints, 5c.
Lot of Corsets, 29c pair.
Lot of Kid Gloves, 59c a pair.
Lot Fancy Collars, 5c.
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STEPHEN McCAULEY, Executor.
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WEDNESDAY EVENING, FEB. 27, 1907.

THE SILENT struggles against poverty waged by untold numbers of the human race are for the most part unknown to the world at large, but occasional happenings are seemingly flashed upon the screen for the purpose of calling the attention of other classes to the skeletons in the closets of many of their fellow-creatures who mutely appeal for aid from those of their genus. An English literary man, who had at times walked the thoroughfares of the British metropolis homeless and hungry, tells of the "terrible London streets"—terrible to him, as he beheld the lights in cafes and private houses where satiety was in evidence and realized his own sad condition. The streets of all large cities are terrible to the hungry unfortunate with no place upon which to lay his head, and who is compelled to pass the night in a park in a sitting posture. An occurence in the voluptious city of New York during the past few days affords food for thought to those of philanthropic ideas who look for far away fields on which to bestow aid to the human race. In the morgue of that city among the unknown dead the body of a young man was lying who worked so hard to get something to eat that he killed himself. Dressed in summer clothes, with low shoes, he was recruited by the foreman of a gang of snow cleaners. The young man's hands were as soft as those of a woman. There were no muscles on his arms or back, and the stoop in his shoulders gave the impression that he was a student. When a shovel was given to the man the foreman saw he was a stranger to manual labor. He worked all the morning and by noon his hands looked as if they had been boiled. At noon the stranger was paid 75 cents, which he took and thanked the foreman courteously. The young man went straight to a nearby restaurant. In the afternoon he returned and worked as though the labor were a delight. At 5 the gang quit for the day and were paid off The man in the thin suit and the light shoes got his final 50 cents. As he took it the foreman noticed that his hands were bleeding. The man began to articulate his thanks when he suddenly let the money fall in the snow, caught at his breast reeled and fell dead, and the short and simple annals of the poor were increased by the addition of another brief paragraph to the already large volume.

NOW THAT the trial of Evelyn Thaw, the witness, has been concluded, it is hoped that the trial of Harry Thaw, the prisoner, may be pushed to rapid completion and the disgusting case brought to an early end. Evelyn Thaw may have been bad, and doubtless was and is bad, but that she, when a mere child, was most shamefully abused by a man old enough to be her father, goes without saying. Certainly up to this time she and not Harry Thaw, has been on trial.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT has directed the chairman of the Isthmian Canal Commission, Mr. Theodore P. Shonts, to reject all bids for the construction of the Panama canal. This means a considerable delay in the digging of the canal and a decided increase in the cost of its construction. If Mr. Oliver, the lowest bidder, had lived on the other side of the line that divides the North and South he might have been given the contract.

CHARGES of robbery and favoritism to certain financial institutions in New York have been made against a high official of the sub-treasury in that city. It is also charged that there is demoralization among employes and that questionable characters are employed in the sub-treasury. Corruption among those who handle government money seems to be on a rapid increase.

## From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Washington, Feb. 27.

Everybody here is asking why has Chief Engineer Stevens resigned from the Panama Canal work, and why has the administration, after months of work apparently committing itself to that plan, finally decided to reject all bids for the construction of the canal by contract? No one in a position of authority will give a satisfactory answer to the many questions asked concering the resignation. When the veil of secrecy is removed it will probably be found that Paul Morton, former Secretary of the Navy, was the principal cause of this new embarrassment to the administration in its canal work. A syndicate was found last fall when it was announced that the canal would be built by contract, and Morton was relied upon to secure the same, but because of the great differences between the Oliver and the syndicate bids, the latter being practically double the former, it was impossible for the administration to turn down Oliver and give the contract to the other firm which was backed by Morton and his associates. All influences were therefore directed to secure the abandonment of the plan to build the canal by contract. They have at last succeeded.

Dr. Emma Reba Bailey, a woman lawyer from Alabama, called at the White House today to assure the President there are plenty of republican legal lights in her State ready and competent to take the vacant United States district judgeship which the politicians of both parties are not trying to capture. The democrats say the President cannot find a fit man for the job in the republican ranks and the President does not seem to be able to refute that assertion Although not an avowed candidate for the place herself, Mrs. Bailey admits that she would take the job if it were offered her. She also said her son, W. Mosely Bailey, would make an excellent judge.

The Senate bill, creating a Philippine agricultural bank, was today favorably reported to the House by the committee on insular affairs. Secretary Taft, who is watching the matter, said that the bill will become a law.

### The Thaw Case.

When Mr. Jerome in New York yesterday finally announced that he had concluded the cross-examination of Evelyn Nesbit Thaw and turned her over to the chief lawyer for the defense for the redirect examination, the District Attorney did so with the air of one who had been completely baffled and kept at bay for parts of five days, and that by a mere child. The material facts related in Evelyn's first testimony, as having been told to her husband as constituting the reason why she would not marry him, remain uncontradicted, and the little woman comes out of her great ordeal with her credibility as a witness practically unshaken. She had spent more than four days and a half in the witness stand, more than half of this time being spent under the relentless fire of District Attorney Jerome's cross-examination.

When in response to her look of inquiry Delmas said "that's all," and the little figure rose and passed lightly from the courtroom, everybody in the courtroom who had watched her from day to day since she first took the witness stand, was conscious that he had seen the end of an extraordinary performance.

There are a good many views regarding the substance of her testimony, but there is no difference of opinion about the manner of its delivery. Perhaps, after all, there is still no possibility of differing from the man who said, on the first day of her testimony, "She is perfectly simple and simply perfect."

The completion of Mrs. Thaw's examination followed the unsuccessful effort of the prosecution to draw from Abraham Hummel certain facts relating to the affidavit which Mrs. Thaw is said to have made in Hummel's law office. In this affidavit it is declared there was an allegation that Thaw had beaten the girl while abroad in 1903, when she told him there was no truth in the story about her relations with Stanford White.

Mr. Delmas, for the defense, blocked practically every question put to Hummel. The witness got no farther than to say he knew Mrs. Thaw, that she came to his office and that he dictated to a stenographer while she was there.

Justice Fitzgerald ruled that collateral evidence was not admissible.

### The Panama Canal.

No great surprise was caused by the official announcement yesterday that all the bids offered for the construction of the Panama canal had been rejected and that the work would be intrusted to the supervision of army engineers.

Coincident with the announcement which was made by the War Department, a statement was issued from the White House in the form of a letter from President Roosevelt to Chairman Shonts, of the canal commission, which told that John F. Stevens had resigned as chief engineer of the canal and that he would be succeeded by Maj. George Washington Goethals, corps of engineers, U. S A., who would be assisted by Maj. David Du Bose Gaillard and Maj William Luther Sibert, both of the corps of engineers.

Maj. Goethals will in addition to his duties as chief engineer, succeed Theodore P. Shonts as chairman of the Canal Commission when the latter retires, on March 4, to accept a place with the Inter-Metropolitan Railway interests in New York. Majs. Gilliard and Sibert also will be appointed members of the Canal Commission.

Announcement was made also that Senator Joseph C. S. Blackburn, of Kentucky, whose term in the Senate will expire on March 4, will become a Canal Commissioner.

It is understood that Mr. Stevens is leaving the government service to accept a position in connection with a great engineering enterprise in this country with an annual salary more than double that he now receives from the government.

### R., F. & P. Violates Charter.

"The Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac Railroad is operating its lines in disregard, if not in violation, of the plain requirements of its charter, both as to passenger and freight transportation, and therefore has no standing to complain, certainly of any reasonable restrictions which the State may place upon the charge which it may make for a description and character of transportation not contemplated by its charter."

Attorney General William A. Anderson so declared before the State Corporation Commission yesterday in his fight in behalf of the commonwealth to enforce the 2-cent passenger rate obligation on every railroad doing business in the State.

The attorney general contended that the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac was not operating its road under the provisions of its charter; that it was permitted to charge eight cents, provided the company "take up" and "set down any passenger or passengers as he or they might desire." This, he declared, was not now carried out by the road.

Chairman Crump announced that the two-cent rate hearing would probably be completed by today.

By the burning of the Hochelaga Protestant school in the East End of Montreal, Quebec, yesterday afternoon, the principal, Miss S. Maxwell, and sixteen children lost their lives. The little victims were caught in the building without a chance to escape, hemmed in by fire, suffocated by smoke, and driven back from the windows and all hope of safety. Miss Maxwell gave her life for her charges. She made a desperate effort to get the smaller children out. She could have saved herself, but she courageously rushed up and tried to get the children.

Leslie M. Shaw, Secretary of the Treasury, has been formally elected president of the Carnegie Trust Company, of New York.

## Fifty-ninth Congress.

Washington, Feb. 27.

SENATE.

The Senate today received an invitation to attend the formal opening of the Jamestown Exposition on April 26.

The Senate passed a bill making shanghaiing an offense punishable by heavy fine and imprisonment.

Senator T. M. Patterson of Colorado, whose term of office expires March 4, startled his democratic colleagues in the Senate by advocating government ownership of all railways, under condemnation proceedings and at the estimated market valuation of eleven billion dollars.

He held that the commerce and post-road clauses of the constitution, under Supreme Court interpretation, gave ample authority and power for the government to acquire railways doing business within the states as well as those engaged in interstate commerce. He presented a comprehensive plan of operation, which calls for a great non-partisan board of transportation acting under the supervision of an enlarged Interstate Commerce Commission.

Objection by Cullom prevented consideration of a bill aimed to remove burdensome restrictions from the present denatured alcohol law so that the industry may be conducted by farmers.

Hansbrough who had reported the bill from the committee on finance then attempted to have it made the unfinished business but finally withdrew his motion. He will press in the measure latter.

The Senate this afternoon considered the conference report on the rivers and harbors bill, carrying about $85,000,000.

HOUSE.

After agreeing to a conference report on the army appropriation bill, the House engaged in a dispute over the proposed retiment of Brigadier Gen. Hall, a son-in-law of Senator Blackburn, of Kentucky.

The House was almost unanimous in voting to give Gen. Hall the advantage of the retirement.

The House agreed to conference report on the bill granting to the United States the right of appeal in criminal cases.

The House agreed today to insist upon its opposition to the Senate amendment to the naval appropriation bill, appropriating $50,000 for a naval training station at Port Royal, S. C. It is understood the Senate will recede. This is the only point of dispute between the two houses on the bill, the conference report being adopted in the House today.

The conference report on the district appropriation bill was agreed to.

## News of the Day.

A dispatch from Colon, Mich., says that Senator Thomas C. Platt wants to settle Miss Mae Wood's suit against him out of court and as quietly as possible. Miss Wood says she is Platt's legal wife, and wants a divorce, naming sixteen co-respondents.

The New York State Court of Appeals has sustained the judgment of the lower court that George W. Perkins, as a vice president of the New York Life Insurance Company, was not guilty of larceny in the use of funds of the company for contributions to the republican campaign fund.

There is a rumor that three large New York banks are to merge—the Hanover National Bank, the National Bank of Commerce and the National City Bank. The merger would give the combination a capital of $53,000,000, surplus and undivided profits of more than $39,000,000 and deposits of nearly half a billion dollars.

The mysterious theft of $173,000 from the Chicago subtreasury in the Federal building continues to baffle the authorities. They struggled until far into the night to clear up the case, but without avail. Warrants in blank have been prepared for the arrest of any suspect against whom sufficient evidence may accumulate.

That 20 negro passengers were drowned or burned to death, and a dozen more are missing, as the result of the burning of the steamer Marion at Hart's Landing, on Wadmalaw river, about 40 miles from Charleston, S. C., on Friday, was the report of Captain Ferguson, of that vessel, filed with the government inspectors. There were seven white passengers and about 50 negroes. The great loss of life seems to have been on account of the negroes being terror-stricken and neglecting to get life-preservers, of which there were 350 on board.

While opening oysters in a Morristown, N. J., market yesterday Maurice F. Morrison opened one of the bivalves of the size known as box oysters. He perceived embedded in it a foreign object, which he carefully dug out with his knife. The object was encased in a thin shell similar to isinglass, which he peeled off, disclosing a large pearl. The gem is oval in shape, flat at one end, about the size of a man's thumbnail. Morrison took the pearl to a jeweler, who, after a cursory examination, told him it was worth at least $500.

Prof. T. M. Taylor, a teacher in chemistry at the Carnegie Tech Schools, at Pittsburg, committed suicide this morning by firing a bullet into his brain.

Longfellow Day is being observed in Boston in all the schools and by individual lovers of the Cambridge poet.

CONGRESSIONAL.

In the Senate yesterday the currency bill was debated during the later hours of the day, the Nelson amendment requiring national banks to pay interest of public money deposited with them being defeated by a vote of 43 to 17. The bill was finally passed by 43 to 14.

The Senate bill amending the general printing law was passed.

The conference report on the criminal appeals bill was agreed to.

The House considered the ship subsidy bill and passed several measures of minor importance.

Conference reports on the fortifications bill was agreed to, and the agricultural and postoffice bills were sent to conference.

The river and harbor appropriation bill, as finally agreed upon by the Senate and House conferences, carries a total of $86,963,432 in cash appropriations and contract obligations.

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## Today's Telegraphic News

The Thaw Trial.

New York, Feb. 27.—Delmas explained to the court this morning that he thought he would finish his case this week.

Evelyn was called to the stand as the first witness.

She came into the court room drying her eyes. She still showed the signs of her bitter disappointment in not being allowed to remain at her husband's side.

"You have a brother, Howard Nesbit?" began Jerome.

"Yes sir,"

"On your return from Europe, in 1903, did you tell your brother Howard in substance that while you were abroad you had been brutally abused by Thaw to induce you to tell lies against Stanford White?" and that these lies were that he had drugged and seduced you, which story you told Howard Nesbit was false?"

"I did not."

"Didn't you tell your brother, you were compelled at the point of a revolver to make some such statement?"

"I did not."

"Didn't you tell Howard these facts in substance at some time?

"I did not."

Each time this answer was repeated with greater emphasis and a longer pause between the three words.

"Didn't he say to you that you ought to have some way to protect yourself and suggest you should carry a revolver?"

"He—did—not"

"Didn't he buy you a revolver?"

"He—did—not"

"Did you ever have a revolver?"

"Never in my life."

Didn't you give him money and send him to Siegel Cooper's to buy you a revolver?"

"I did not."

This completed Evelyn's examination and she was excused again.

Delmas then, to the surprise of every one in the court room, called Dr. Chas. F. Bingaman, the Thaw family physician, of Pittsburg, to the stand instead of insisting that Jerome should proceed with the cross-examination of Dr. Evans.

Dr. Bingaman is a typical family physician, slender, deep eyed and solemn; looking out kindly through his spectacles.

"Did you call upon Harry K. Thaw professionally in the fall of 1903?" asked Delmas.

"Yes. The first visit was on December 16, 1903 and I continued to attend him until December 17," said the doctor.

"What was his condition."

"He was nervous melancholy, slept badly, and ate badly. He was greatly changed. I had known much of his life. He was distressed and worried."

"Did you see him at the Tombs in New York, after June, 1906."

"Yes, I saw him, August 17, 1906, and again September 11."

"What was his condition at the time of the visit, Aug. 17"

"He was nervous, was sleeping badly and talked of a conspiracy between rich New York people to prevent his getting a fair trial. He said the court officials were in the conspiracy. He gave no names, but said an effort was being made to send him to an asylum."

"Did you consider him rational or irrational?"

Irrational, I should say. He was laboring under a delusion"

"What was his condition at the time of the second visit."

"He had intertwined newspapers between the bars of his cell, "said the witness," and said the cold air might give him pneumonia. He said the officials were having the cold air forced in so that he might take pneumania and die.

"He asked me to examine his pulse," continued Dr. Bingaman, "and asked me if it was peculiar. I told him it was not unnatural, but that it was irregular. He said that might have been caused by something that occurred after the act of providence."

The cross examination did not develop anything important.

Dr. Evans was re-called and turned over to Jerome for cross examination.

The Chicago Sub-treasury Robbery.

Chicago, Feb. 27.—Chief Wilkie, of the United States Secret Service, is expected in Chicago tomorrow to assume charge of the search for the man who stole $173,000 from the sub-treasury. Secretary Shaw, under direct instructions from President Roosevelt, has ordered the summary removal of an official found guilty of negligence. Deputy Treasurer Bantz has sent a message to Secretary Shaw referring to conditions as "serious," in view of the fact that not only has money been stolen, but that the thief may still be in the government service and within reach of millions more. One of Bantz's first acts was to relieve temporarily the teller, from whose cage the $173,000 disappeared.

Investigating the Harriman Lines.

New York, Feb. 27.—E. H. Harriman again took the stand when the Interstate Commerce Commision resumed its hearing today. Stuyvesant Fish was not present and it was not known whether he would come. The commissioners declared that they would be glad to let Mr. Fish make a statement if he wished to do so in reply to Harriman's charge that Fish had been forced out of the Illinois Central Railroad for using the railway's funds for his personal advantage. Members of the commission are almost bewildered by the mass of sensationals which Harriman is making in his testimony.

Firemen Lose Their Lives.

New York, Feb. 27.—Two firemen are dangerously ill in a hospital and scores of others were overcome by the fumes of amonia, liberated by the explosion of a tank at a fire in the refrigerating plant of the Volunteer meat market today. The men who perished went into the cellar to fight the flames and when the explosion occurred were instantly overcome and perished before their comrades could reach them. The monetary loss was small.

President Elected.

New York, Feb. 27.—At a meeting of the directors of the Seaboard Air Line Railway, today, W. A. Garrett, First Vice President and General manager, was elected President to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Alfred Walter. No successor to A. A. Garrett, as First Vice President, was elected.

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## City Council.

There was a brief meeting of the City Council last night, and the volume of business transacted was small. The proposition which originated in the Common Council for the city to expend $500 in experimenting with gas stoves was defeated in that board. Mayor Paff sent in a corrected bill of the Pinkerton Detective Agency for services in connection with the investigation of the Curtin murder. The last bill shows a difference of about $100 in favor of the agency. The Mayor was authorized to turn over the city's electric plant to the Alexandria Electric Company upon the payment of $3,500.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Vice President Curtin presided in the Aldermen. No business originated in the board and the action of the Common Council on all papers sent in was concurred in by unanimous votes and without discussion.

COMMON COUNCIL.

At 7:45 the president called the board to order and the minutes were read.

The board passed an ordinance passed by the Aldermen at the last meeting requiring every person, firm, or corporation dealing in second-hand goods to keep a book giving the description of each article purchased and the name, address, color, and general description of the person from whom the purchase is made, and to furnish police headquarters with a report of the previous day's purchases before 11 o'clock each week day; the book to be open to inspection by the police at all times. Penalties are provided for failure to comply with the ordinance.

A communication from the Mayor, to which was attached an itemized bill of the National Pinkerton Detective Agency, for services in connection with the Curtin murder more than a year ago, was received and referred to the committee on finance and general laws, as was also the communication of the Mayor received from the Aldermen at the last meeting, but no action was taken upon it at that time.

A communication was received from Mayor Paff, inclosing notices signed by E. E. Mandeville, to the effect that the Alexandria Electric Company is now ready to furnish electricity for lighting the streets of Alexandria, and is prepared to carry out its agreement to take over the old plant and pay to the city the sum of $8,500.

A resolution offered by Mr. Uhler authorizing the Mayor to complete the transaction with the officers of the Alexandria Electric Company was adopted.

The sum of $300 was appropriated to buy flag stones.

The committee on light did not report on Mr. Birrell's resolution to appropriate $500 to install gas stoves in houses in different sections of the city for the purpose of demonstrating the superiority of gas as a fuel, but submitted an opinion by the Corporation Attorney, in the latter's reference to the matter. The opinion was to the effect that the city has the right to engage in such business in order to exhibit the advantages of gas consumption, but that it is without power to conduct a general business involving the sale of stoves for profit.

Mr. Birrell contended that there would be a decrease in the receipts from the gas works, due to the introduction of electricity for lighting purposes, and argued that to encourage the use of gas as fuel would help the plumbers of the city and would harm no one.

Mr. Spinks took the same view.

Mr. Birrell moved that the resolution to purchase the stoves be passed. After more debate the resolution was defeated, but four members voting for it.

Mr. Birrell then served notice that he would ask for an injunction the first time that it came to his notice that the city is entering into competition with private enterprise in any particular and the chair informed him that he would have that privilege.

A petition bearing the signatures of all the members of the Alexandria police force and the indorsement of the board of police commissioners, asking for an increase in salaries, was presented. The paper set forth that under the new rules the men are required to wear uniforms suitable to each season of the year; that the cost of clothing and living has advanced in recent years between twenty-five and fifty per cent; that rents have been advanced in Alexandria; that salaries have been increased in other lines, and that more money could be made in private employment.

The Chair referred the matter to the committee on finance, but Mr. Spinks called attention to the fact that there is also a committee on police, and said that it should be referred to the joint committees. The Chair stated that as the petition concerned only the question of salary he had, under the rules, referred it to the finance committee, but that Council could refer it to both committees if it felt so disposed. The petition upon motion of Mr. Spinks was referred to the committees on finance and police.

An order for the erection of an arc light on Washington street near Cameron, offered by Mr. Strauss, was referred.

A communication was received from the commissioners of the sinking fund announcing the cancellation and destruction of the last of the bonds of the issue of 1872, amounting to $35,500. A brief sketch, reviewing the history of the debt and its settlement, was read by President Snowden who said:

On July 1, 1902, the bonds of the issue of 1872, which matured on that day and were outstanding, amounted to $37,5 0 Two thousand dollars ($2,000) of this amount was represented by two bonds of $1,000 each, registered in the name of William A. Duncan, numbered 52 and 53. No interest has been paid on these two bonds since July 1, 1876, as hereinafter explained, nor have the coupons representing such interest ever been presented to the City Treasurer for payment. The bonds and the coupons on them at or about the date of their maturity were brought to the Auditor's office and their redemption requested. The City Auditor informed the bearer of the bonds that while they were registered in the name of William A Duncan neither Duncan, if living, nor his heirs, if dead, held any equity in them, because they were part of corporation stock at one time owned by Dr. Orlando Fairfax. Prior to the war (1861-65) Dr. Fairfax was the owner of $8,700 of Alexandria corporation stock, and this stock by order of Judge Underwood, of the United States Court of this city, was confiscated and sold at public auction. On August 1, 1864, the United States Marshal, John Underwood, transferred two thousand dollars ($2 000) of said stock (which had been issued under an act of the City Council of July 9, 1836,) to William A. Duncan, and in 1872 Duncan funded the stock in registered coupon bonds of 1872. Subsequently Dr. Fairfax instituted suit against the city to recover the $8,700 thus confiscated, it being illegal, as he claimed, and his contention was sustained by the courts. The City Council paid Dr. Fairfax $8,700 principal, $5,779 interest and $250 costs, a total of $14,729. (See City Report 1878, page 26; 1879, page 11, and 1902 page 76.) The City Council then instituted a suit in the Corporation Court of Norfolk, Virginia, against the holders of $2,000 of these bonds. They were surrendered to our representatives and, by a decree of the same court, entered May, 1878, interest amounting to $586.54 was paid by the holder into our City Treasury. All of the foregoing is to show a condition of our 1872 debt in July, 1902, and for future easy reference as to the two one-thousand-dollar bonds not surrendered.

It will be remembered that just prior to the maturity of the 1872 bonds the City Council authorized the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund and the Finance Committee to present to Council a plan that would promptly pay the bonds on July, 1902, and not to leave them in the hands of the owners to draw interest, and if possible in their redemption to avoid any delay in our street and sewerswork and the rebuilding of the Gas Works. These bonds were a charge to be paid out of the General Fund, but to draw $30,000 from our taxable resources at that time was not deemed advisable and to refund them was not to be considered. Two plans were submitted for their payment, and the one agreed upon, and that unanimously, was reported to Council and adopted, and is fully explained on pages 78, 79, 80, report of 1-02 This plan briefly stated was as follows: The outstanding bonds amounted to $35,500 (of this $5,5 0 was held by the Commissioners of the Sinking Fund, leaving $30,000) To pay this $30,000 it was agreed to sell $6,000 of the bonds, the issue of 1879, held by the Sinking Fund (from which $5,940 was realized), the Sinking Fund to draw interest on the whole $35,500 until they were gradually paid off, and to use the note of the City Council when necessary—in fact place the whole matter in the hands of the Comm ssioners.

The amount paid out of the General Fund for the gradual retirement of the debt was $8,010 interest from July 1, 1902, to January 1, 1907, and $2,000 provided in the appropriation bill fiscal year 1906-'07. It was expected that even at the exceedingly low rate of interest to be paid on the notes as they were due, $8,0 would be necessary, apportioned as follows: $400 first year, $225 second, $1 0 third, and $75 fourth. It is gratifying to know that only $ 00 has been paid to float the notes, and that sum in the first year. We used our own money to care for these notes, and during this whole time no temporary loans were necessary in the conduct of our fiscal affairs. The plan also estimated the receipts from the market rents, safter paying all expenses, salaries, water rent, insurance, &c., would average about $1,972.15 each year, or about $16 34 per month The amount from rents is slightly less, or $ 57.65 per month. This seven dollars less is of no more importance as a factor in the payment of the bonds than if it were seven dollars more per month, and is only mentioned to evidence how nicely the plan worked, and had one of the cook shops been rented as much of late years as it had been prior to 1902 the amount from the market receipts would have been just about the estimates made by the Commissioners, or about $1,950 per annum

In conclusion the Commissioners report that the $5,500 in bonds were delivered to the Finance Committee, who destroyed them by fire, and thus passed from our debt burden. That every debt made by or in the name of our municipality during the period 1879-1907 has been met, and promptly, should be not only a source of pride and gratification to those who outlined the plans but should also be a matter of satisfaction and congratulation upon the part of the representatives of the people who authorized and gave it approval.

[In connection with the above it should be stated that Auditor Price, ex-officio secretary of the Sinking Fund Commissioners, rendered valuable aid both in the conception and carrying out of the plans detailed above, by means of which the 6 per cent. bonds aggregating $35,500 have been eliminated from Alexandria's liabilities without the matter being known to the great majority of the people.]

Mr. Strauss jocularly urged a vote of thanks to Mr. Marshall for a gas lamp on the stairs of the council corridor and it was agreed to with acclamation.

## Virginia News.

Mrs. Henry Brent Miller died last Friday at the residence of her husband, four miles from Jeffersonton, aged seventy-five years.

Joseph J. Halsey, of "Lessland," Orange county, near Raccoon Ford, died Monday night, after a brief illness, aged seventy-eight years.

Benjamin F. Barton, a county official and prominent citizen of Loudoun county, died Monday at his home near Bloomfield, aged sixty years, of heart disease.

Mrs. Katherine Keene, wife of Dr. T. F Keene, a prominent physician of Hamilton, died at her home in that place on Monday aged about forty years.

James C. Hoge, of Loudoun county, has announced his candidacy for the democratic nomination to succeed the late John F Rixey as congressmen from the Eighth Virginia district.

Mrs. Katherine H. Goss, widow of John Goss, died at her home in Winchester yesterday after a lingering sickness of consumption, aged forty-nine years. Mrs. Goss was Miss Katherine Hyde, of Baltimore.

Major General Grant, commanding the Department of the east, visited the Jamestown Exposition grounds to inspect the grounds upon which the federal troops will encamp during the Exposition. The crack military organizations of the South will attend the Exposition.

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## Official.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Aldermen of the city of Alexandria, Va., held February 26, 1907, there were present:

Messrs. Hill, Marbury, Ballenger, Simpson, Curtin and W. H. Sweeney.

In the absence of the President Vice President Curtin presided.

The following were received from the Common Council and their action concurred in by unanimous votes:

Resolution appropriating $300 to purchase flagstone.

Communication from the Mayor enclosing corrected bill of the Pinkerton Detective Agency for services in connection with the investigation of the murder of Geo. N. Curtin.

Resolution directing the Mayor to make the proper transfer of the city electric light plant, machinery, wire and poles upon the payment of $3,500.

Resolution for placing an arc lamp at Cameron and Washington streets

Communication from the Board of Police Commissioners asking Council to consider the application of the members of the police force asking for an increase in pay.

Communication from E. F. Price, secretary of the Sinking Fund Commissioners, announcing the destruction of bonds to the amount of $35,500 of the issue of 1872, which matured July 1, 1902, and which have been gradually paid off.

The board then adjourned.

J. R. N. CURTIN, Vice President.
Teste: LUTHER H. THOMPSON, Clerk.

COMMON COUNCIL.

At a regular meeting of the Common Council of the city of Alexandria, Va., held February 26, 1907, there were present: Hubert Snowden, esq., President, and Messrs. Leadbeater, Burke, Strauss, Brill, Bauder, Birrell, Hellmuth, Harrison, Uhler, Marshall and Spinks.

A communication from the Mayor enclosing bills from the Pinkerton Detective Agency on account of the Curtin murder case, was received and referred to the joint Committee on Finance and General Laws.

A communication from the Mayor enclosing letters from the Alexandria Electric Company, was received and the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and requested to make proper transfer of the electric light plant, machinery, poles and wires upon the payment of the stipulated sum, viz., thirty-five hundred dollars.

A communication from the Board of Police Commissioners enclosing a petition from the members of the police force requesting an increase of salaries, was received and referred to the joint Committee on Finance and Police.

A resolution appropriating $300 to purchase flag stones, was recommended by the committee on Streets and passed—ayes 12, no s 0.

The Committe on Light returned without recommendation a resolution appropriating $500 for the purchase of gas stoves to demonstrate the advantages of gas for cooking purposes, and also submitted an opinion of the Corporation Attorney. The opinion of the Corporation Attorney was received A motion to adopt the resolution was lost. Mr. Birrell called for a division which resulted—yes 4, noes 8, and the resolution was again declared lost.

A resolution to place an arc light at the corner of Cameron and Washington streets, was referred to the Committee on Light.

The following was received from the Commissioners of the inking fund:

"At a meeting of the commissioners of the Sinking Fund held Monday, January 29th, 1907, the bonds of the issue of 1872, which matured July 1st, 1902, and which have been gradually paid off, were examined, and as the plan for their redemption has been fully observed, and as the last interest to be paid was paid January 2nd, 1907 the Commissioners authorize the Auditor to deliver said bonds, which amount to $35,500, to the Finance Committee for destruction, and that the President of the Common Council be requested to inform the it Council that such bonds have been destroyed."

An ordinance to require persons, firms, or corporations purchasing second-hand goods, wares or merchandise, to keep a book wherein said purchases shall be recorded, was taken from the table and read the second and third times and passed—ayes 12, noes 0.

A report of the Committee on Finance and General Laws, returning to the Mayor bills which had been referred to them from the Pinkerton Detective Agency with request to explain some differences in the account and which was adopted in the Board of Aldermen on February 12th, was called from the table and the action of the Board of Aldermen was concurred in.

The board then adjourned.

HUBERT SNOWDEN, President.
Teste: DANIEL R. STANSBURY, Clerk C. C.

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Alexandria Gazette

WEDNESDAY EVENING, FEB. 27, 1907.

## Local Matters.

### Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 6:36 a. m. and sets at 5:52 p. m. High water at 8:01 a. m. and 8:17 p. m.

### Weather Probabilities.

For this section fair tonight and Thursday; colder; light northerly winds.

### St. Mary's Church.

Last night at St. Mary's Church a large audience listened with close attention to the priests who are conducting a mission there. The people are so interested in the sermons and instructions that the severe weather does not interfere with the attendance.

The instruction last evening was given by Father Waters and his subject was the "Infallibility of the Pope." Some people, he said, wrongly imagine that this doctrine means that the Pope can do nothing wrong, that he is personally without sin, that he is morally perfect, that whatever he says we Catholics believe it as a revelation of God, that he is continually making new dogmas or doctrines and imposing them by his authority upon a deluded and too credulous people.

This idea of papal infallibility, he said, was totally erroneous and absurd. No Catholic has any such idea of the Pope or of his office of supreme pastor and teacher of the church.

His infallible teaching authority is a necessary adjunct of his primacy, coming down to him from St. Peter, the first Pope, who received this prerogative from Christ himself.

The object of this infallibility is religious truth or matters of faith and morals. The Pope may err in science or politics or other questions of human knowledge.

As a private individual he might even have erroneous ideas on religious matters. But he is an officer, and he is infallible only when acting in his official capacity as head of the Church Catholic, and defining a doctrine to be held by all Christians. He is not the recipient of new revelations, but he is the conservator of the deposit of truth revealed by Christ. He is the Supreme Court from whose decision on matters of faith there is no appeal. Nor is an appeal from his decision reasonable, because in virtue of his infallibility he is preserved by Almighty God from making a false decision.

The promises made by Christ to St Peter and to apostles guarantee the teachings of the church. As Christ cannot lie, neither can he allow his chief witness to lie in his name and thus seduce the whole church. Infallibility banishes religious doubts and ends discussion by asserting the truth once for all.

It gives certainty to faith by resting it upon the authority of God rather than upon the varying opinions of men. The sermon of Father Van Ingelgem was on the "Waves of Sin," and produced a profound impression on the audience.

### Funerals.

The funeral of the late Wm. Francis Lambert took place this evening at 3 o'clock from St. Paul's Episcopal Church. Rev. Thomas Semmes, of Richmond, officiated, assisted by Rev. P. P. Phillips, rector of St. Paul's Church. The pallbearers were Messrs. Edward L. Daingerfield, Gardner L. Boothe, Laurence Stabler, H. R. Burke, Carroll Pierce, C. J. Deahl, R. E. Knight, and Dr. Wm. M. Smith. The funeral was very largely attended and host of friends of the deceased gathered at the church to pay respect to the memory of one whom they so justly held in affection and esteem. The interment, which was private, was in the family lot in Ivy Hill Cemetery.

The funeral of the late Francis M. Wood took place this afternoon from Grace Church, and was attended by Belle Haven Council, Junior Order United Americans, of which the deceased was a member. Members of Alexandria Council of the same organization also attended as well as other friends and acquaintances of the deceased

### Feast of Purim.

The Feast of Purim will begin this evening. In synagogues where the occasion is celebrated the first religious ceremony is the reading of the Book of Esther. The feast commemorates the deliverance of the Jews from the plot of Haman to exterminate them, as told in the Book of Esther. This book prescribes "the sending of portions one to another, and gifts to the poor." Accordingly, gifts are exchanged among the Jews and the poor are made the recipients of charity The festival is marked by merrymaking, and among the orthodox Jews of the eastern parts of Europe boys and girls walk from house to house in masks and indulge in jollity. There will be no services in the synagogue in this city, but the children of the Sunday school will celebrate the occasion tomorrow night.

### Police Court.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of this morning:

Malvin Ross, colored, arrested by Officer Arrington charged with assaulting Arthur Milton, was fined $10.

A white man, arrested by Officers Beach and Henderson charged with assaulting his wife, was fined $50, and in default of payment will be sent to jail for 90 days.

A young man, arrested by Officer Garvey charged with being drunk and disorderly and with destroying property, was fined $20.

A white woman, arrested by Officers Beach and Lyles charged with being drunk and disorderly, was fined $5.

### Bidding for Manufactures.

The city of Washington and the counties of Alexandria and Fairfax are taking measures toward making exhibits at Jamestown setting forth the advantages of those localities for manufacturing purposes. Alexandria city, it is suggested by many, should take similar steps, as it possesses all natural advantages not only for manufactures, but for any other class of enterprises.

### W. C. T. U.

The regular business meeting of the Allison W. C. T. U., will be held tomorrow afternoon at the Children's home on Duke street.

The regularly weekly prayer meeting will also be held tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Children's home on Duke street.

### Personal.

Wm. F. Evans, of this city, will exhibit three oil paintings at the Jamestown Exposition.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hill entertained Banker Lamberton and wife, of Oil City, Pa., and a party of ten at dinner yesterday evening.

Mr. H. C. Yohe, who for a number of years was manager of the Alexandria Brick Company and later of the Broomilaw Brick Company, has been appointed treasurer of the International Sand, Lime, Brick and Machinery Company, of Washington.

Rev. J. Neilson Barry, of Washington, will preach in Grace Church tonight.

Mr. S. L. Monroe, who has been quite indisposed with grip, is able to be about again.

The condition of William McA. Green, who was operated upon for appendicitis a few days ago, continues unchanged.

Mr. and Mrs. William Worth Smith, of Fauquier county, Virginia, announce the engagement of their daughter, Louise Montgomery Smith, to Harold E. Reeves, only son of Judge John Graybill Reeves, of Lancaster, Ohio.

### A Little Too Previous.

The prophetic instincts of the ground hog having been questioned this year, a member of the ophidian creation attempted to pose in the role of a weather prognosticator yesterday morning. A moccasin snake which had been hibernating near a spring at Broomilaw, on the southern confines of the city, drew its slow length from its den and, seeing its shadow, attempted to return to winter quarter, but becoming chilled, found itself helpless. A youth who passing at the time picked up the reptile and brought it to this city. Probably the movements of snakes on the 26th of February may in future attract the attention of those who have lost faith in the ground hog.

### The Braddock House.

Mr. W. W. Simpson, lessee of the Braddock House, announces that in future no rooms in that building will be rented to objectionable people, and that it is his purpose to make this historic hostelry acceptable to all proper persons desiring single rooms or suites. The building has recently been fitted with all modern conveniences and is now being papered throughout and receiving other interior decorations. There are fifty rooms in the Braddock House.

### Charter.

The State corporation commission has granted a charter to the Virginia Oil Development Company of Manassas, with a capital stock of $100,000. The incorporators are W. H. Acker, G. L. Nicholson, W. S. Mannix, H. E. Waernicke, C. W. S. Turner, T. H. Lion, and J. P. Leachman, all of Washington. W. H. Acker is president of the company.

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### LOCAL BREVITIES.

A large quantity of copper wire belonging to the Washington, Alexandria and Mount Vernon Railway Company was stolen at Mount Vernon station, on Monday night.

An adjourned meeting of the Board of Police Commissioners was held yesterday afternoon at which a petition from the members of the police force for increased wages was referred to the City Council, with recommendation that the same be considered.

A light rain fell last night which froze upon the payments and roadways, and rendered walking difficult. Slippery conditions existed this morning, but as the day advanced the mercury ascended and the sleet vanished from the northern side of streets.

Two years ago Mr. F. J. Palmer, of Alexandria county, purchased 10,000 feet of ground at Rosslyn at 75 cents per foot. He recently sold 1,000 feet of the plot to the officers of the National Bank of Rosslyn at $2.50 per foot. A bank building will be erected upon the ground.

The ice in the river is fast disappearing, only scattered fragments now appearing on the surface. The steamer Washington arrived from Norfolk on time this morning. Her officers report that the ice has virtually passed away, and that no impediment to navigation exists.

The local board of civil service examiners announces that an examination will be held at the city postoffice Saturday next for the position of rural carrier. Mr. Elmore Mudd, who recently passed a civil service examination, has been appointed substitute clerk in the city postoffice, to take effect March 1.

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### THE STROTHERS TRIAL.

With the completion of yesterday's testimony in Culpeper, the case of the Commonwealth against James and Philip Strother for the slaying of their brother-in-law, William F. Bywaters, came to a close, and today the defense will present their side of the case.

Mrs. Viola Strother Bywaters, sister of the defendants and bride of an hour of the slain man, will take the stand. Until yesterday it was expected that Mrs. Bywaters would appear as a witness for the State, but it developed that the prosecution had changed its plans, and the defense immediately announced her appearence in court as their witness. The Gazette's report of the case closed yesterday after Mr. J. G. Lemmon had testified.

Immediately following Mr. Lemmon's testimony, recess was taken to enable the jury to go to the Strother house and view the evidences of the shooting and familiarize themselves with the scene. The jurymen were driven out in several vehicles, and did not return to the courtroom until late in the afternoon. They made a thorough examination of the premises, Deputy Sheriff Bowersett and Mr. Lemmon accompanying them to point out and explain the location of the various shot marks and articles of furniture. The guides were instructed by the court to be careful not to offer their explanations in the form of testimony, but merely explain things to the jurymen and answer their questions.

When the court convened after the return of the jury from the inspection of the scene of the shooting, the prosecution called R. M. Thompson, an undertaker, to the stand. Mr. Thompson added nothing to the case.

Dr. C. S. Cowie was called, and the dummy figure, wearing the slain man's riddled and blood-stained coat, was placed on the stand. Dr. Cowie, it appeared from Capt. Woods' questioning, had experimented upon the effect of revolver bullets passing through woolen cloth and into more or less hard substances. The defense wanted to know what it was all about, and Capt. Woods explained that he wanted to throw some light on the wound in Bywaters' skull in which was found a .22-caliber bullet and a bit of lint from the coat through the shoulder of which the bullet had passed.

The defense will not object to Dr. Cowie telling of his experiment. It developed that the physician had fired two shots through a coat into a board. On the first shot the coat was laid against the board. Some lint was found in the bullet hole. On the second trial the coat was held eight inches from the board. No lint was found in the bullet hole. On the strength of this experiment, the prosecution wanted to be allowed to ask Dr. Cowie's opinion as to whether or not Bywaters' coat must have been pulled up and held close to the head when the shot in question was fired. The defense demurred and questioned the prosecution as to what they expected to prove. Captain Woods said they wanted to show that some one, he would not say whom, must have held Bywaters by the collar and fired the shot with the other hand. The defense objected and was sustained.

The prosecution then announced its case closed, and the court adjourned till today.

Culpeper, Va., Feb. 27.—Although court did not convene until 10 o'clock Mrs. Bywaters was in the courthouse long before that, sitting in the judge's room. Sorrow and suffering was written upon her features, and the bright red bathrobe which she wore was in pathetic contrast with her looks and mood. She was carried into court in a large wicker chair

Attorney Lee, for the defense, interrogated her. She said that she was 23 years of age last November and that she was educated at the Episcopal Female Institute. She had lived in this county all her life. At eighteen she left school. She had met Bywaters when she was "quite a little girl and was wearing short dresses." He was a relative.

"What was Mr. Bywaters' deportment toward you before your father's death?"

"He was like a brother."

"And you were like a sister to him?"

"Yes."

She stated that after her father's death Bywaters became "more attentive and affectionate."

"Were you impressed with the idea that he wanted to be your sweetheart and wanted to marry you?" asked the counsel.

"Yes."

"How did you regard him?"

"As a brother who would protect our home like Jim and Phil."

"When did you first yield yourself to this man?"

"About four months before my mother's death."

"Tell this jury how you came to give yourself to him?"

"I loved him. I had confidence in him. He said he would love me that much more and be always faithful and true."

"When did you discover that your condition was not what it should be?"

"In September 1906."

"What did you do?"

"I went to Mr. Bywaters and told him, and suggested that we get married."

"What did he say?"

"He said I was mistaken, and he would not listen to my suggestion of marriage."

The witness explained that on a second appeal, Bywaters suggested an operation. She said she protested, and begged him to marry her.

Mrs. Bywaters then related the facts of her visit to Washington, and the circumstances of the operation performed there.

She said that Dr. Leon performed the operation, and that he "was anything but kind."

She then told of the suspicions that had been aroused in the mind of her brother Philip. He summoned the other brother, James, home, and the two talked about Bywaters having been seen coming from her room.

"Did you admit anything?" she was asked.

"I denied everything, because I loved him and wanted to protect him. I did not want my brothers to suspect him. Mr. Bywaters then wrote me a letter."

The letter read as follows:

"My Own Dear Viola: You can't imagine how I feel. I just feel like my heart would break. The thought that your people would suspicion me of a sneaking act almost kills me. I met Jim and Phil on the road last night. I was driving slow. They were driving very fast. They did not mention the matter, but I hoped and prayed they would. I would have mentioned it, but I did not want to let them know that you had spoken to me about it. It is awfully lonesome, and I long to see you.

"Yours forever lovingly,
"Billy."

Mrs. Bywaters said that she and Bywaters were registered in the hotel at Washington as man and wife, as "Mr. and Mrs. Tyson."

"Who mentioned your absence first, after you reached your home?"

"I did."

"You continued to make denials?"

"Yes."

"Why?"

"It was Mr. Bywater's wish that I deny the truth."

"Were you taken seriously ill that afternoon?"

"Yes."

"And you went to bed?"

"Yes"

"Before going to bed did you telephone Mr. Bywaters?"

"Yes."

"Did your brother French know the nature of your illness?"

"I think he did."

"But you continued to deny?"

"Yes."

"Were doctors summoned to examine you?"

"Yes."

"Did Mr. Bywaters come later?"

"Yes."

"What was said?"

"My sister, Mrs. Gaines, said to him that she knew he was responsible for my condition."

"Did he deny it?"

"Yes." We both denied it at first, but finally admitted the truth."

"Did your brother French says anything to Bywaters?"

"Yes. He said he was going to kill Will. Mr. Bywaters said he would marry me. French said he would rather Mr. Bywaters wouldn't marry me,"

"Why didn't French kill him?"

"I pleaded with him not to kill Will. I thought I was on my deathbed, and was not thinking of myself. I begged only for him."

"Until he came the next day you knew nothing of any marriage arrangements?"

"No."

"What did he say?"

"He asked me to beg for time."

"Why did you ask that the marriage be put off?"

"Because I thought he would desert or mistreat me if he was forced to marry me against his will."

"You were married while on what you thought was your deathbed?"

"Yes, I could not move."

"What did your brothers do?"

"They bent down and kissed me and shook hands with Mr. Bywaters. They said they would forget the past and be his friends and promised him several hundred dollars to start on."

Fifteen minutes after the wedding did he want to leave the house?"

"Yes. He said he wanted to get some wedding cards and tell his mother of our marriage."

"Did you ask him to stay?" "Yes."

After saying this Bywaters went down stairs and that she had sent for him she said: "I had my arms around his neck; his cheek was against mine. My brother came into the room and asked what he intended doing. He did not answer. Then my sister came in. Will jumped up while I had my arms around his neck and pulled away with such force that he jerked me out of bed. Then he darted down the steps. I suffered agonies and was assisted back to bed. That was the last time I saw him."

She said she did not hear the shots.

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One Quartered Oak Buffet or Sideboard.
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One Odd Curly Birch Dresser.
$18.95. Was $37.50.

One Mahogany Davenport, Corinthian columns.
$23.75. Was $37.50.

One Oak Sideboard, handsome design.
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$37.00. Was $50.00.

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THURSDAY

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offer for sale at public auction, in front of the Market House (Royal street entrance), in the city of Alexandria, Va., that track of land located in Mt. Vernon magisterial district, Fairfax county, Va., containing 85 acres (family graveyard reserved), being part of the old Samuel Collard real estate. The land is improved by dwelling house, barn and other buildings, and orchard. The land is of good quality and the location is exceptionally good, being a public road leading to Alexandria city and about 3½ miles south of said city. It is valuable for trucking or as a dairy farm.

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I, W. E. Graham, Deputy Clerk of said Court, do certify that the bond required of the commissioner of sale in the above matter has been executed by him with approved surety. Given under my hand this 15th of February, 1907.

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LEGAL NOTICES.

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 29th day of January, 1907.

City Council of Alexandria, which uses for itself and for such other lien creditors as may come into, take part in, and share the expenses of this suit, vs. Hugh Walters and Edward Gorman. In Chancery.

Memo: The object of this suit is to subject the following property in the city of Alexandria, Va., viz: Lot No. 15, Lot No 16, Lot No. 17 and Lot No. 18 in T. F. Barrett square, bounded by Alfred street on the east; Patrick street on the west; Montgomery street on the south and Manderville's line on the north, of Norton and Barley's subdivision, according to plat and survey recorded in deed book 31, page 118, Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, being the same lots conveyed to said Hugh Walters and Edward Gorman by Thomas F. Barrett and wife by deed bearing date January 31, 1894, and recorded April 14, 1894, in deed book No 31, page 582, Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, to the payment of the lien of the City Council of Alexandria, thereon for taxes, and all other liens.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendants, Hugh Walters and Edward Gorman are non-residents of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendants appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order and do what is necessary to protect their interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House in this city.

A copy—Teste:
CHARLES BENDHEIM, Clerk,
By NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, D. C.
S. P. Fisher, p. q. jan30 w4w-w

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 11th day of February, 1907.

Ada F. E. Greer, vs. George W. Greer, } In chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain a decree divorcing the complainant a vinculo matrimonii from the defendant, allowing her to resume her maiden name of Ada F. E. Coomes, and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, George W. Greer is not a resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

A copy—TESTE.
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk,
Norton and Boothe, p. q. w4ww-m

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 9th day of February, 1907.

Thomas S. Gibson and David J. Howell, executors of the last will and testament of William Gibson, deceased, vs. William F. Gibson. In Chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit to recover of the defendant, William F. Gibson, the sum of $824.87, subject to a credit, however, of $93, as of July 23, 1903, leaving a balance due the complainants of $531.87 with interest from December 9th, 1905, until paid, and to attach and subject to the payment of the same the estate or debts owing to the said defendant, William F. Gibson.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, William F. Gibson, is a non-resident of this state: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House in this city.

A copy—Teste:
NEVELL S. GREENAWAY, Clerk.
Jas. R. & H. B. Caton, p. q.
feb 9w4w-s

VIRGINIA.—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 1st day of February, 1907.

George Apostolakos, vs. Ellen Apostolakos, } In chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain an absolute divorce from the defendant, Ellen Apostolakos, on the grounds of desertion.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Ellen Apostolakos, is a non resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

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Samuel G. Brent, p. q. feb1 w4w-th

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N. B.—Following schedule figures published only as information, and are not guaranteed.

7:17 A. M.—Daily—Local for Warrenton, Danville and way stations.

7:52 A. M.—Daily—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations.

9:17 A. M.—Daily—U. S. Fast Mail. First class coaches and drawing room sleeper to New Orleans. Dining car service.

11:17 A. M. Daily—Washington and Florida limited. Sleeping cars between New York and Jacksonville. Through first-class coaches between Washington and Jacksonville. Dining car service between Washington and Columbia.

3:07 P. M.—Daily—New York and Atlanta Express—First class coach to Atlanta; sleeper to Columbus, Ga. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays Sunset Route Tourist sleeper Washington to San Francisco.

4:18 P. M.—Week Days—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations on Manassas branch.

5:12 P. M.—Daily—Local for Warrenton and Charlottesville.

6:32 P. M.—Week Days—Southern's Palm limited, solid Pullman to Aiken, Augusta, Jacksonville and St. Augustine; sleepers weekly to Charleston. Dining car.

11:37 P. M., No. 33—Daily—New Orleans Express. Through coaches and sleepers to Charlotte, Columbia and Augusta. Sleepers to Pinehurst week days. Dining car service a la carte.

10:32 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg). First class coach and sleeping car to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga and Memphis. Sleepers to Birmingham and New Orleans. Washington to Roanoke. Dining car service.

11:17 P. M.—Daily—New York and New Orleans Limited. All Pullman parlor and observation cars to New Orleans. Sleepers to Asheville, Atlanta, Birmingham and New Orleans. Dining car service.

Through trains from the south arrive at Alexandria 7:18, 8:28 and 8:38 A. M. and 2:13, 5:08, 8:28, 11:13 and 11:23 P. M. daily; 9:56 A. M. except Mondays. Harrisonburg 11:38 A. M. week days and 9:38 P. M. daily. From Charlottesville 7:58 A. M.

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Leave Alexandria (W. & O. Station) 8:37 A. M., 1:29 and 4:58 P. M. week days for Bluemont; 6:35 P. M. for Leesburg; 9:20 A. M. and 4:58 P. M. on Sundays only for Bluemont.

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## Washington Southern Ry

Schedule in effect Jan. 6, 1907

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Sundays—9 38 a. m., 12 01, 7 09, 8 32 and 11 33 p. m.

For Fredericksburg, Richmond and points south at 4 35, 8 12 (local), and 11 05 a. m. 4:00, 5 07 (local), and 7 41 p. m., week days

Sundays—4 35 and 11 05 a. m., 4 00, 5 07 (local), and 7 41 p. m.

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FOR MOUNT VERNON.

Leave Alexandria for Mount Vernon, week days, 5 45, 6 53, 8 32, 10 25, 11 25 a. m., 12 1 25, 2 25, 3 32, 4 36, 5 35, 7 05 and p. m.

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Southern mails, via Richmond, close at 9 45 a. m., and 3 20, 6 00 and 10 15 p. m. Open at 8 a. m. and 1 and 4 p. m.

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Alexandria and Round Hill mails close at 7 30 a. m., 1 00 and 4 00 p. m. Open at 9 00 a. m. and 6 30 p. m.

Chesapeake and Ohio mails close at 1 35 p. m. and 10 15 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m. and 6 30 p. m.

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